



Docket No.: 050099-0253

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Shinroku MAEJIMA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 5019  
Application No.: 10/808,613 : Group Art Unit: 2824  
Filed: March 25, 2004 : Examiner: Dang T. Nguyen

For: MAGNETIC RECORDING ELEMENT AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING MAGNETIC RECORDING ELEMENT

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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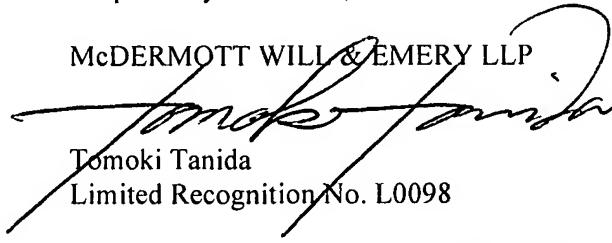
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated September 21, 2006, now due to expire December 21, 2006, be extended to the third month and set to expire on March 21, 2007.

Please charge the extension fee of \$900.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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